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October 31, 1996

Mr. Dennis P. Reis Quarles & Brady 411 East Wisconsin Avenue Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53202-4497

Re: <u>Master Metals</u>, Inc.

Dear Mr. Reis:

I have received your correspondence dated October 29, 1996. This letter is to advise you that Master Metals, Inc. has indicated to me that it would follow my recommendation and repair the areas of the fence surrounding the site parameter of the Master Metals site and place hazardous waste materials signs on the fence. By no means is this good faith action being taken as an admission that site security is lacking as indicated in the October 23, 1996 letter from Mr. Vezner. To our knowledge, the only security breaches at this facility have been by thieves and vandals. Certainly, the likelihood of a "child" crawling under or over the fence in this highly industrialized area is remote or nonexistent. I am advised by Master Metals that they will need until the middle of November, 1996 to complete all fence repairs.

Robert B. Casarona

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